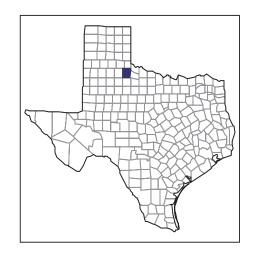
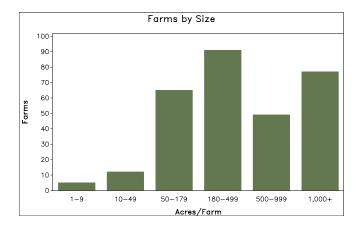
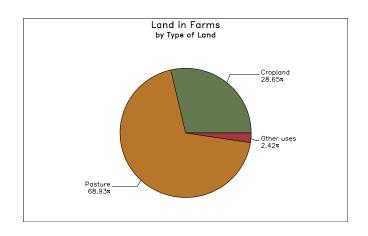


## **Cottle, Texas**



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	299	233	+ 28
Land in Farms	534,519 acres	574,177 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	1,788 acres	2,464 acres	- 27
Market Value of Production	\$17,541,000	\$13,029,000	+ 35
Crop Sales \$7,936,000 (45 percent) Livestock Sales \$9,605,000 (55 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$58,665	\$55,920	+ 5
Government Payments	\$3,995,000	\$2,522,000	+ 58
Average Per Farm	\$16,716	\$14,411	+ 16







**County Profile** 

## Cottle, Texas

Ranked items among the 254 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe 1	U.S. Rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold  Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse  Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17,541 7,936 9,605	192 149 181	254 253 254	2,338 1,993 2,072	3,076 3,072 3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	2,064 (-) 5,364 (-) (-) (-) 508 (D) 9,457 (-) 7 (D) 132 (-)	125 (-) 60 (-) (-) (-) (201 (D) 164 (-) 152 (-)	244 (-) 161 199 229 176 80 252 240 254 158 235 252 253 101 232	1,776 (-) 191 (-) (-) (-) 2,151 (D) 1,235 (-) 2,371 (D) 1,472 (-)	2,933 437 626 2,796 2,659 2,703 1,710 3,054 3,020 3,054 2,493 2,922 2,998 3,024 1,498 2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves Horses and ponies Layers Goats, All Sheep and lambs	28,340 362 261 212 49	153 225 174 223 215	254 254 246 252 244	1,083 2,552 2,539 2,217 2,564	3,060 3,066 3,024 3,023 2,891
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all Cotton, all Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop Sorghum for grain Oats for grain	17,828 14,569 7,785 800 (D)	56 59 167 136 81	199 161 253 187 133	524 183 1,946 505 (D)	2,481 627 3,060 1,158 1,957

## **Other County Highlights**

<b>Economic Characteristics</b>	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	166
\$1,000 to \$2,499	13
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16
\$100,000 to \$249,999	19
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6
\$500,000 or more	8
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	15,820
Average per farm (\$)	52,909
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,707
Average per farm (\$)	25,776

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	123
Other	176
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	226
Female	73
Average age of principal operator (years)	63.1
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Asian	(-)
Black or African American	(-)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
White	430
More than one race	10
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	4

<sup>(</sup>D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.